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Applicant: VOLLENBROICH et al.  
Appl. No.: 09/242,343 Group: 1642  
Filed: April 12, 1999 Examiner: B. Brumback  
For: NEW ANTIVIRAL LIPOPEPTIDES AND A METHOD OF  
INACTIVATING LIPID ENVELOPED VIRUSES USING  
LIPOPEPTIDES

ATTENTION: Refund Section  
Accounting Division  
OFFICE OF FINANCE

REQUEST FOR A REFUND OF 50% OF THE FILING FEE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

July 10, 2001

Sir:

The following documentation and remarks are respectfully  
submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

DOCUMENTATION

Attached hereto is:

☐ a copy of written assertion of small entity status filed  
on even date herewith under separate cover; and/or

☒ a copy of an executed Statement Claiming Small Entity  
Status (37 C.F.R. § 1.9(f) and 1.27(b)) - filed on April 12, 1999 in  
connection with the above-identified application.

REMARKS

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(a), applicants hereby request a  
refund of 50% of the Filing Fee. Small entity status has been

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established by the filing of a written assertion/statement on April 12, 1999.

Small entity applicants may now file the necessary Statement within three (3) months of the date of payment of any particular fee and request a refund. The present application qualifies for the reduced fees as implemented by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on October 1, 1982, and further amended on January 20, 1983 and September 8, 2000.

The continued prosecution application was filed on April 26, 2001 with a filing fee of \$1,490.00. It is respectfully requested that the excess fee of \$745.00 be credited to Deposit Account No. 02-2448.

Favorable action on the present Request is respectfully requested.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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